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SUBJECT: ADMINISTRATION INITIATIVE ON MARINE OIL POLLUTION

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1. GUERIN OF SECRETARIAT GENERAL OF THE MERCHANT MARINE HAS CONTACTED US RE VISIT OF US DEL APRIL 14. HE IS ANXIOUS TO KNOW SOONEST COMPOSITION OF US DEL AND HOUR AT WHICH DEL WOULD BE PREPARED BEGIN MEETING. HE SAID THAT CHAPON, SYG OF THE MERCHANT MARINE, WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE DEL AND TO ATTEND AT LEAST THE BEGINNING OF THE TALKS, BUT THIS WOULD BE POSSIBLE FOR HIM ONLY IN THE MORNING OF APRIL 14. PLEASE ADVISE.

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2. WE TOOK ADVANTAGE OF OUR MEETING WITH GUERIN TO REVIEW WITH HIM GROUND COVERED LAST WEEK WITH FOREIGN MINISTRY AND WITH HIS COLLEAGUE MARCHAND (REFTL) AND TO SUPPLY HIM WITH ALL BACKGROUND MATERIALS. WHEN ASKED FOR HIS VIEWS ON US INITIATIVE, GUERIN SAID THAT HE THOUGHT SOMETHING COULD BE WORKED OUT ON SUCH MATTERS AS WATCHSTANDING AND TRAINING. HOWEVER, HE SAID, PROPOSALS RE

SHIP DESIGN "DID NOT HAVE A CHANCE" OF ACCEPTANCE BY GOF.
ENOUGH RULES FOR SHIP DESIGN ARE ALREADY ON THE BOOKS
THAT SHOULD FIRST BE FULLY IMPLEMENTED, SAID GUERIN,
BEFORE THOUGHT COULD BE GIVEN TO COMING UP WITH YET
MORE RULES.
GAMMON

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